

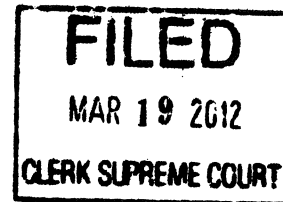
**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF IOWA**

No. 11-2022

Polk County No. CVCV008796

**O R D E R**

**DANNY HOMAN, WILLIAM A.  
DOTZLER, Jr. BRUCE HUNTER,  
DAVID JACOBY, KIRSTEN RUNNING-  
MARQUARDT and DARYL BEALL,  
Plaintiff-Appellees,**



**vs.**

**TERRY E. BRANSTAD, GOVERNOR  
OF THE STATE OF IOWA,  
Defendant-Appellant.**

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This matter comes before the court upon appellant Governor Terry E. Branstad's motion to stay issuance of procedendo. The Governor requests that the court "stay the issuance of procedendo to give the Governor and the legislature a reasonable period of time to appropriate additional funds for Iowa Workforce Development."

Procedendo is a routine appellate court procedure that involves a higher court directing a lower court to enter a judgment in a case previously before the lower court. Under Iowa Rule of Appellate Procedure 6.1208(1)(a), the Court issues procedendo 21 days after the court enters a decision in a case. Thus, in this particular case, procedendo is scheduled for April 6, 2012. This court will retain jurisdiction of this case until it issues procedendo.

As a general proposition, our rules of appellate procedure provide one party an opportunity to respond to a motion filed by the opposing party. In keeping with this procedure, the court gives the appellees time to file a response to appellant Governor Terry E. Branstad's motion to stay issuance of procedendo. See Iowa R. App. P. 6.1002(2). However,

given the public importance of this matter, the time for filing a response is expedited. The appellees have until noon on Friday, March 23, 2012, to file a response with the clerk of the supreme court, either by facsimile or hand delivery. If the appellees file a timely response to the motion to stay procedendo, the appellant shall have until 4:30 p.m. on Monday, March 26, 2012, to file a reply to the response with the clerk of the supreme court, either by facsimile or hand delivery.

Dated this 19<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2012.

THE SUPREME COURT OF IOWA

By Mark S. Cady  
Mark S. Cady, Chief Justice

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